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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-cited patent application, please consider the amendments and following remarks.


Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Exhibit A (Clonetics™ Endothelial Media Systems) is attached to the end of this paper.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on October 17, 2005, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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